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The Kansas legislature has abolished capital punishment and Arizona makes gambling a felony.

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WELL, there is no law against the newspaper man using the "tip pass" anyway. Weimar Mercury.

That mode of transportation won't do for the HEADLIGHT to "lie to." It "passes" it up.

IT HAS been stated at the court house in Austin that an agreement has been reached to set the case of the State of Texas vs. the Waters-Pierce Oil company for April 18 as to argument upon the law, and for May 13 for trial upon the facts.

When the Senate by a vote of 15 to 11 decided to exonerate Bailey without receiving the report of the investigating committee, Senator Paulus was absent. Stand to your colors, gentlemen! Now is the time for all good men to come to the rescue of the party!

FELIX POWELL, the murderer of little Mildred Condit and the Condit family at Edna, has been sentenced to hang for the crime on April 2nd. When sentence was passed Powell moved his lips nervously, but said nothing as to why sentence should not be passed.

The Madame Editors and State Press have not expressed themselves on the of swinging earnings 'a la Alice Longworth. The HEADLIGHT regards this as a more important subject than the hat & bonnet controversy that has engaged their pens. The "y-bob" comports not with the civilization, much less with the higher education of women.

The efforts of Representative Kindred to secure the passage of an amendment to the anti-pass bill permitting railroads to exchange mileage for advertising space in the newspapers will be gratefully remembered by the press of Texas. Mr. Kindred has always proven himself a good friend of the newspapers, and with this action of his is additional proof of such friendship. -Weimar Mercury.

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Well, what is Senator Paulus?

David Graham Phillips on Bailey. When I asked him if he had anything further to say in reference to Senator Bailey, he walked from his writing table to the center of his room, turned quickly, his back to the window grate and said:

"Yes, Bailey is a dead one." The words left his lips as a shot leaves a cannon. "The election of Bailey is of small moment," he continued. "The important thing is that Bailey is dead. Texas might as well have a wooden Indian in the senate as Bailey. The people will not listen to him." The Bailey influence is a thing of the past. He has his seat, but it is an empty honor to him and a useless piece of business for the State. He would never have been elected if the exposures concerning him had been made before the legislature had been chosen. But his return to the senate is a mere detail.

ADDITION, SUBTRACTION AND SILENCE.

"The trouble with Bailey is he talked. He forgot the all important rule for men of his stripe, the rule that should confine their knowledge to three things - addition, subtraction and silence. He may have been surprisingly facile in the handling of figures - but he talked. He was goaded into speech. There is no doubt he was tied up with the Standard Oil crowd. And the exposure of the fact in letters in his own handwriting was a thunder clap to the people - Bailey, the slave of the money gods, hand and glove with the greatest legislative corruptionists in the world - impossible Bailey the demagogue, who would not spoil his American manhood by the donning of an evening coat, the man who was close to the people - the working man's friend - and now hobnobbing with the system." - no, no, it could not be. These were the things about Bailey that shocked the people. Everybody knew what sort of man Platt was - that was an open secret, it had been for years. And there was no great novelty or sensation when Dewey was shown to be mixed up in a lot of dirty business. It was only the publication of general knowledge. Dewey was always a time server and boot-licker. He was Vanderbilt's property and every one knew it. He corrupted legislators at Albany for years. But when Bailey was assailed that was another matter. Now he is a dead man."

That Blackmail Charge. Bailey, in his public speeches, said that Gruett had gotten Plateau to write a letter to him demanding \$28,000 hush money. When young Gruett was on the stand, Bailey had Odell ask if the demand for \$28,000 had been made in the Plateau letter. At this juncture the young man asked for the letter. General Crane asked for it, Cooke asked for it several times. Finally Bailey reported it lost. Plateau produces the letter and nowhere is it shown that there was a demand for \$28,000. -Austin Tribune.

Exactly Like It. The Bailey investigation is something like this: What did Bailey say? He said what he said. Well what did he say he said? He said he said what he said he said, that's what he said he said he said. -Witness excluded. -Llano Times.

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The Austin pass-packers voted themselves mileage at the rate of twenty cents a mile going and coming, but they want to deprive the newspapers of the right to sell their advertising space to railroads in exchange for mileage. This will not altogether mar the happiness of the newspaper man. The right to exchange subscription for turnip greens and cordwood still holds good. -Pittsburg Gazette.

If Gov. CAMPBELL wants to do the proper thing for the people he should promptly veto the bill allowing legislators twenty cents a mile both ways as mileage. With the rates now charging only three cents and a fair prospect of the fare being reduced to two cents, the legislators are the piece of graft, or something equally as hideous, for the legislators to draw nearly three times the price of a ticket. -Pittsburg Gazette.

While Senator Bailey was testifying before the investigating committee at Austin last Friday he said that if he could have gotten all of his enemies together he would have killed them. The idea of a great man talking about murdering people who live an opinion and dared to express it! The taking of a life of a fellow being is something enormous and no man should allow himself to think of such a thing much less say it. -Italy News-Herald.

BAILEY, on the witness stand, confessed that he received from the Standard Oil company in 1902 a fee of \$2,500. In 1906 in a speech at Mar's great phenomenal borrower used the following language: "A man in or out of congress ought not to practice law for a trust or defend it. I say that no senator or member of congress has a right to practice law for public service corporations which apply to congress for favors or are regulated by congress. They cannot show that I have ever represented a trust or monopoly, or a concern that was regulated by congress."

As a rule the members of the Texas legislature work but three days of each week, but they do not fail to collect for six days. They also voted their pay and 20c per mile mileage when they pay only 3c, thus robbing the people of 17c on every mile traveled. The majority of them leave Austin on Friday and return Monday, thus putting in Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday and on Friday go back home or down to Galveston, Corpus Christi, Rockport, Aransas Pass, or some other place. Almost every one of them rides on a free pass besides. -Italy News-Herald.

The Gregg County News reproduced the Messenger's article on Senator Willacy and the anti-pass law and adds: "The editor gives more than he gets in advertising for mileage books. It is not a 'free pass' to editors at all. These fellows seem to think 'you won't let us ride on free passes and we'll cut out everything else.' Even the poor preachers, who have to live on air and water have been cut out. It looks like spite work to us." The legislature never did intend to enact an anti-pass law in harmony with the platform demand. The Senate never once hoped to get its bill through the lower house in its present stringent form, and it was so framed to insure its defeat. No anti-pass law will be enacted at this session and you can bet your life on that. -Grapeland Messenger.

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